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FROM:

PM - Joseph J. Wolf

SUBJECT: Further Symington Subcommittee Activities

Jim Lowenstein today told me that letters will shortly be signed by Senator Symington to Messrs. Rogers, Laird, Helms, and Gayler, advising that Lowenstein and Moose will be sent to Thailand for the Subcommittee to update earlier hearings, just as they had done for Laos.

They will arrive in Bangkok about January 10 and stay through January 30, stopping at CINCPAC for two days on the way back.

They may also go to Cambodia after Thailand, but that will depend on developments.

They would like full access to classified information, which they would use only in a highly classified report to the Subcommittee -- as had been the case with Laos this year. Appropriate declassification could then be worked out.

They would like a briefing by the various agencies on December 16 - 17 to update this information. I said I would arrange this.

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